United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/706,190	11/12/2003	William R. Kennedy	KDY 9497	5982
321 7590 11/30/2007 SENNIGER POWERS			EXAMINER	
ONE METROPOLITAN SQUARE	ENGLE, PATRICIA LYNN			
16TH FLOOR ST LOUIS, MO			ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
,	,		3673	
				·
			NOTIFICATION DATE	DELIVERY MODE
			11/30/2007	ELECTRONIC

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.

Notice of the Office communication was sent electronically on above-indicated "Notification Date" to the following e-mail address(es):

uspatents@senniger.com

10/706,190 Art Unit: 3673

DETAILED ACTION

1. The Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences affirmed the rejection(s) against independent claim(s) 28, but reversed all rejections against claim(s) 31 and 33 dependent thereon. The independent claim(s) is/are cancelled by the examiner in accordance with MPEP § 1214.06. Applicant is given a ONE MONTH TIME PERIOD from the mailing date of this letter in which to present the dependent claim(s) in independent form. NO EXTENSIONS OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) WILL BE GRANTED. Failure to comply will result in cancellation of the dependent claims and the application will be allowed with claim(s) 1-27. Prosecution is otherwise closed.

Any inquiry concerning this communication should be directed to Patricia L. Engle at telephone number (571) 272-6660.

/Patricia L Engle/ SPE Art Unit 3673